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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2002, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

In the specification:

Page 4, paragraph 17, line 6:

Ex note 2

Please insert – to – after “effort” and before “withdraw”.

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1 through 13, inclusive. Please substitute the following amended claim 14 for claim 14 now appearing in the application. A marked copy of claim 14 as amended is attached to this document.

14. (Amended) A releasable cable grip connector for locking a cable segment within a housing comprising:

a housing having a first bore therethrough to receive a first cable segment

and a second bore therethrough parallel to said first bore to receive

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